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## REPORT

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**SOURCE EVALUATIONS ARE DEFINITIVE. APPRAISAL OF CONTENT IS TENTATIVE.**

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1. Observations of equipment of the anti-aircraft unit in the Artillery Barracks in Rehagen; shipment by rail on 1 January 1957 of anti-aircraft equipment of this unit to Koenigswusterhausen.

2. Vehicle [redacted] at the Schumke Lager; vehicle convoys from the Schumke Lager to Jueterbog on 21, 22 and 23 January 1957.
3. Arrival of 10 standard boxcars with Soviet troops, apparently new inductees, between 8 and 14 January 1957.

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**SECRET**EAST GERMANYMILITARY/AIRMiscellaneous activity in the SPERENBURG Area (27.12.56 - 27.1.57)

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ARTILLERY BARRACKS REHAGEN.**SECRET**

1. On 27 Dec 56, the following equipment travelled by road from the AA position near SAALOW [ ] to its parent unit in the Art'y Bks in REHAGEN:

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8 AA guns 100 mm;  
6 tracked tractors;

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[ ] field kitchen.

2. On 1 Jan 57, the same equipment was loaded onto flats at the SPERENBURG railway station and, together with [ ] with tps, was attached to a normal goods train which left SPERENBURG at 1400 hrs for KÖNIGSWUSTERHAUSEN.

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3. After the departure of the transport described in para 2 above, the following equipment was seen in the barracks at REHAGEN:

16 AA guns 100 mm;  
3 SLs with a diameter of 2 m, mounted  
on 4-wheeled carriages;  
2 closed box trailers, each with a saucer-  
shaped aerial array mounted on the roof;  
20 tracked tractors;

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Approx 150 troops.

4. On 13 Jan 57, it was observed that the AA position near SAALOW was still unoccupied. There was a guard consisting of approx 12 tps on duty.

SCHUMKE LAGER.

5. On 14 Jan 57, a column of new or newly-painted tanker [ ] with trailers arrived by road at the SCHUMKE LAGER. [ ]

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6. On each of the days 21, 22 and 23 Jan 57, a convoy of 30 loaded tanker [ ] left the SCHUMKE LAGER at 0900 hrs and drove to JUETERBOG. The convoy returned empty each day at 1500 hrs. On each journey it was noticed that a small biplane continually flew up and down the convoy; also in the air were 13 twin-engined jet aircraft.

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7. Vehicles [ ] were seen driving into SCHUMKE LAGER on 24 Jan 57:

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[ ] (Cars)

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8. During the period 8-14 Jan 57, [redacted] carrying tps 25X1  
arrived in SPERENBERG attached to the normal civilian passenger  
train from KÖNIGSWUSTERHAUSEN to JUETERBOG. In all, [redacted]  
arrived and the tps detrained at SPERENBERG. All the tps appeared 25X1  
to be very young. They carried only personal luggage and were  
not armed. Half the tps went to the SCHUMKE LAGER and the remain-  
der to the barracks in REFAGEN.

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